

# Miscellany.

## A GREEK ROBIN HOOD.

The French papers have the following romantic account of the manner in which the vicinity of the city of Adrianople has been rid of some troublesome robbers.

The house of a widow residing there was entered and robbed of valuables amounting to 7,000 piastres, her only wealth, by seven men who said they were members of the band of Yani, a celebrated chief, who had gained great renown in these parts, and the poor woman made use of his name in making complaint.—This person is a sort of Fra Diavolo, who seems to have modeled himself after the brigand heroes of romance. He is a Bulgarian py birth, and robs no one but the rich Turks, whom he hates, and has been known frequently to give the proceeds of such an expedition to any poor person he might meet. He goes and comes in the villages, where he is well received and treated like a lord. It must be said that the rustic police are not much protection, for they are too often connected with the band themselves.

This M. Yani goes through the country robbing the rich, befriending the poor, protecting the widow and orphan, and even watching the magistrates to see that justice is meted to the poor and rich alike. Now, Yani, learned that he had been implicated in the robbery, and fully equipped, paid the lady a visit. Trembling, the poor woman begged him to leave her the little that remained.

"But I have never taken anything from you," said the brigand.

"Are you not then Yani?" said she.

"I am most certainly Yani, and I come to obtain the description of those who have abused my name and robbed you."

Reassured, the woman gave the required description.

"Be content," said Yani, departing, "you shall obtain justice. No one stains my name with impunity, I promise you."

Two days after, Yani, brought back to the widow all she had lost, and with it the heads of the seven robbers who had taken it. He had followed his defamers with a few of his men, and had avenged his injured honor upon them himself.

## Paying for a Supper.

A poor Indian came one night to an inn at Litchfield, in the early days of New England, and asked for a morsel of food and a few hours' lodging. "I no pay," he said. "I hunt all day, and no game in the forest." The hostess not liking his appearance, drove him off; and as he was going, looking very sad, for there was no other inn for many a mile, a man who was sitting on a bench before the door, told the woman to supply the wants of the red man, and he would pay her. As soon as the supper was finished, he thanked his benefactor, and said he would some day repay him.

A great many years after, the settler was taken prisoner by a hostile tribe, and was carried off to Canada.

His life was spared, but he was kept in slavery, till one day an Indian came to him, and giving him a musket, bade the captive follow him: The Indian never told him where they were going or what was his object: but day after day the captive followed his strange guide through the thick forests, until one day they came suddenly on the cultivated lands of the white man. "Do you know that place?" asked the Indian, pointing to a group of houses. "Ah, yes, it is Litchfield!" and before the captive could recover from his surprise and joy, the Indian exclaimed, "And I am that starving Indian you once took pity on; and now that I have paid you for that supper, you can go home to yours."

**MARRIED LIFE.**—The following beautiful and true sentiments are from the pen of that charming writer, Frederika Bremer, whose observations might well become rules of life, so appropriate are they to many of its phases: "Deceive not one another in small things nor in great.—One little single lie has, before now, disturbed a whole married life; a small cause has often great consequences. Fold not the arms together and sit idle. Do not run much from home. One's own health is of more worth than gold. Many a marriage, my friends, begins like the rosy morning, and then falls away like a snow wreath. And why, my friends? Because the married pair neglect to be as well pleasing to each other after marriage as before. Endeavor always, my children, to please one another, but at the same time keep God in your thoughts. Lavish not all your love on to-day, for remember that marriage has its to-morrow likewise, and its day after to-morrow too. Spare, as any one may say, fuel for the winter. Consider, my daughter, what the word wife expresses. The married woman is the husband's domestic faith; in her hand he must be able to confide house and family; be able to entrust to her the key of his heart, as well as the key of his eating room. His honor and his home are under her keeping—his well-being in her hand. Think of this! And you, sons, be faithful husbands, and good fathers of families. Act so that your wives shall esteem and love you."

## SENSIBLY SPOKEN.

The following is from the Democratic Transcript, and as it speaks on an important matter in a very sensible manner, we give it a place in our columns:

"Talk of the parlor with its touch me not elegance—we care not for it—Let its covered magnificence riot in darkness—its red velvets lie in shrouds—its pictures gaze dimly through crape—its splendid piano stand dumb in its linen cover—its worsted roses and pinks, and gilt flowers remain unplucked in dark corners—its carpet bloom unseen. Let the shutters and double curtains exclude every beautiful ray of light; while we can have the pleasant, airy, yellow-floored, uncarpeted kitchen."

"This is the place for real enjoyment—the kitchen, with its bright shelves and its clean, white tables, white with time. The kitchen, with its easy chair, and broad shining hearth and with its cracking and blazing fire."

"We do not mean the kitchen in the great house, where servants have entire control, and the lady of the house never sets her foot within its precincts; but the homely and comfortable kitchen of the well to do working man, where the wife and the tea kettle sing together, and the little children prattle round the mother while her own hands set the table for tea."

"There may be snow in the gleaming, or sun arrows lodging in the tops of trees—there may be city walls about, or blue undulating hills. It matters not in such a place everything smacks of true comfort."

## A Pretty Woman.

The subjoined wail we have discovered in an exchange, and transfer it to our columns for the purpose of gratifying our numerous lady friends. It is a beautiful specimen of *bijouterie*. We desire that all appropriate it to themselves, and regard it as their rightful property. But we would gently caution them not to "put on airs" on account of it:

"A pretty woman is one of the institutions of the country—an angel in dry goods and glory. She makes sunshine, blue sky, Fourth of July and happiness wherever she goes. Her path is one of delicious roses, perfume and beauty. She is a sweet poem, written in rare curls, and choice calico, and good principles.—Men stand up before her as so many admiration points, to melt into cream and then butter.—Her words float round the ear like music, birds of Paradise, or the chiming of Sabbath bells.—Without her, society would lose its truest attraction, the church its firmest reliance, and young men the best of comfort and company. Her influence and generosity restrain the vicious, strengthen the weak, raise the lowly, flannel shirt the heathen, and strengthen the faint-hearted. Whenever you find the woman, you also find pleasant fireside boquets, clean clothes, order, good living, gentle hearts, music, light, and model 'institutions' generally. She is the flower of humanity, a very Venus in dimity, and her inspiration is the breath of Heaven."

**CONSTITUTION OF THE EARTH.**—A writer in the Scientific American, after examining all the various theories concerning the structure of the earth, endorses the conclusion that the world is one mass or globe of mixed metals, of which the mere crust has become rusted, or of earthy form; the outer rind, as it were, preventing any rapid combination taking place with the metallic surface, five or six miles below the surface of the dry land.—Eruptions from volcanoes, he thinks, are produced by the sea getting down to the metallic surface through some fissure in the earth's crust; decomposition of the water then takes place—fire, flame and steam causing eruption.

**A Good lady** who had two children sick with the measles, wrote to a friend for the best remedy. The friend had just received a note from another lady inquiring the way to make pickles. In the confusion, the lady who inquired about the pickles, received the remedy for the measles, and the anxious mother of the sick children, read with horror the following: "Scald them three or four times in very hot vinegar, and sprinkle them well with salt, and in a few days they will be cured."

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## DELINQUENT TAX LIST FOR 1855.

THE following is a list of the Delinquent Lands and Town Lots in Jefferson County, Ohio, returned by ALEXANDER SKELEY, Treasurer, on which the Taxes for the year 1854 were not paid and which are not yet paid, to which are added the penalty of 30 per cent and the simple tax of 1855.

LANDS.									
OWNERS NAMES.	RANGE.	TOWNSHIP.	SECTION.	WATER PT. OR SEC.	No. ACRES.	VALUE DOLLARS.	TOTAL TAXES.	D. C. M.	
STUEBENVILLE Tn.	1	2	25	" N 1/2 E 28 1/2	1,075	25 07 0			
Connell Nancy & Elizabeth.	1	2	36	" W 1/2 E 1 1/2	84	1 95 0			
Huscroft William	1	2	36	" W 1/2 E 1 1/2	1,000	35 52 5			
Laughlin M. M.	1	2	36	" W 1/2 E 1 1/2	350	14 73 5			
Malber Samuel	1	2	29	" W 1/2 E 1 1/2	168	3 91 8			
Noble Harvey	1	2	35	" S 1/2 E 14	280	6 53 0			
Odel Jane	1	2	34	" N 1/2 E 6 1/2	590	13 05 9			
Odel Jacob	1	2	28	" N 1/2 E 3	338	7 83 6			
James Turnbull	1	2	29	" N W 1	100	3 55 3			
Wolcott C. C.	1	2	30	" N W 1	1,400	39 07 8			
Wilkin Mary	1	2	30	" W 1/2 E 1	950	33 74 9			
Worthington Benjamin	1	2	30	" W 1/2 E 7-8	175	6 21 6			
Wood William	1	2	30	" W 1/2 E 7-8	175	6 21 6			
Walker Jacob	1	2	30	" W 1/2 E 7-8	175	6 21 6			
Ireland Creek Township.	2	7	17	Pl. W 1/2 E 10	180	3 17 1			
Dunbar Robert S.	1	3	32	" S E 33 1/2	1512	41 48 1			
Farmer James	1	3	36	" N W 17	228	3 66 4			
Moorehead Elizabeth	1	3	28	" N E 24	40	62 4			
Milcan Daniel	2	7	5	" S E 1	112	1 72 4			
McCauley Thomas	2	7	12	" S W 14 1/2	98	1 50 1			
Nixon John	2	7	22	" N E 90	1,310	30 80 0			
Rogers John	2	7	11	" N E 61	820	12 63 3			
Shaw William Heirs	2	7	17	" middle 114 1/2	1,670	35 50 3			
Same	2	7	5	" E 160	3,226	49 71 2			
Tenif James	2	7	5	" E 160	3,226	49 71 2			
Knox Township.	1	4	32	Pl. N E 100	896	14 52 3			
Galloway James	2	8	21	" N E 30	840	13 61 5			
Householder Priscilla	2	8	25	" middle 2	168	2 72 3			
Miller Sarah	1	4	31	" S W 60	515	8 84 8			
McKelvey Eli	1	4	31	" S W 60	515	8 84 8			
Saline Township.	2	8	19	Pl. N W 1-1-2	56	92 3			
Alaback Samuel	2	8	36	" N 1-2 E 153	857	16 13 1			
Davis Daniel	2	8	5	" S W 11-1-2	52	85 4			
Dunlap Alexander Heirs	2	8	23	" S W 161	2,164	35 08 9			
Turner Jefferson Heirs	2	8	32	" S E 144	806	13 29 3			
Farmer James	2	8	29	" E 1/2 S W 80	538	10 12 5			
Householder Joseph	2	8	29	" 5 W 20	67	1 26 2			
Same	2	8	18	" middle 23 1/2	320	5 26 8			
Hunt William	2	8	38	" N W 23	52	85 8			
Mapel Isaiah	2	8	31	" N E 23 E 36	81	1 33 6			
Same	2	8	31	" N E 23 E 36	81	1 33 6			
Stewart James R. M.	2	8	6	Pl. W 1-2-20	180	2 96 0			
Brush Creek Township.	3	12	3	E 1/2 N W 79 1/2	356	5 37 1			
Beard George Jr.	3	11	30	S 1/2 S W 70	285	3 54 6			
Dennis Sarah	3	11	33	S 1/2 S E 172	2,230	38 38 1			
Dunbar Alexander	3	11	6	pt. N W 106 1/2	357	11 65 3			
Lowrey Francis	3	12	27	S E of S W 40	134	2 30 2			
M'Kenzie Alexander	3	11	6	S W of S W 35 1/2	94	3 06 7			
Salsman James	3	11	36	E 1/2 of W 155 1/2	1876	25 28 3			
White Timothy	3	11	36	E 1/2 of W 155 1/2	1876	25 28 3			
Ross Township.	3	11	5	pt. N E 47	684	15 20 1			
Lowrey Sarah	3	11	23	S W of N E 40	180	3 98 6			
Lee Thomas	3	11	5	N E of N W 40 1/2	360	8 01 4			
Salsman James	3	11	23	N W 150	1425	31 67 1			
Salsman Martin	3	11	29	pt. N E 60	403	8 95 3			
Same	3	11	16	E 1/2 N E 80	1,445	32 11 1			
Wiles John G. Heirs	3	11	17	pt. S 1/2	120	538			
Same	3	11	17	pt. S 1/2	120	538			
Wells William	3	11	23	N W of N E 40	224	4 97 8			
Springfield Township.	4	11	24	pt. N W 15 1/2	616	9 16 3			
Allensworth Jacob	4	12	3	W of N W 80	270	1 21 0			
Cris George Heirs	4	12	9	pt. N E 15	66	1 04 0			
Same	4	12	9	pt. N E 15	66	1 04 0			
Salem Township.	3	10	35	pt. N W 1	448	8 00 3			
Freeborn John	3	10	23	pt. S W 5	84	1 45 8			
Roberts William	3	10	23	pt. S W 5	84	1 45 8			
Wayne Township.	3	9	6	pt. N W 122	1,776	27 85 0			
Beatty T. A. & John M'Kim	3	9	22	pt. N E 109	2,940	46 09 8			
Craig David	3	9	6	pt. N E 98 1/2	883	13 84 4			
Davis Robert	3	9	12	pt. S E 12	108	1 69 3			
Fraser Francis	3	9	17	pt. S W 76	1,532	24 01 9			
Simerall Archibald Heirs	3	9	23	pt. N W 11	1,355	21 24 5			
Woodrow Simon	3	9	23	pt. N W 11	1,355	21 24 5			
Smithfield Township.	3	8	34	see plat	2	168			
Goodwin John	3	8	34	see plat	2	168			
M Pleasant Township.	3	7	34	pt. S W 179 1/2	5,025	81 74 0			
Hendon Joshua	3	7	6	pt. E 1/2	46 1/2	17 20 3			
Lupton Thomas	3	7	4	S side	153	3,600			
Ricks Mary Ann	3	7	4	S side	153	3,600			
Warren Township.	2	4	12	see plat	7	550			
Hutton Joseph	2	4	12	see plat	24	140			
Hutton William	2	4	12	see plat	24	140			
Tilton Joseph	2	4	22	pt. N E 29	1,300	20 61 2			
Wells Township.	2	5	24	pt. N 1/2	15	300			
Forster Mary	2	5	22	pt. E 1/2	137 1/2	2,622			
Pierce Andrew	2	5	24	pt. N W 88	1,676	27 14 0			
Parrish Harvey	2	5	21	pt. S W 81	1,090	17 61 0			
Roberts James	2	5	21	pt. S W 81	1,090	17 61 0			
Cross Creek Township.	2	6	30	S E corner	9 1/2	100			
Coe Moses	2	6	10	pt. S E centre 106	3,205	60 30 2			
Thompson William	2	6	10	pt. N W centre 41 1/2	930	17 50 0			
Williams James Heirs	2	6	11	pt. S W 1	22	41 3			
Same	2	6	11	pt. S W 1	22	41 3			

## TOWN LOTS.

OWNERS NAMES	In Lot	Out Lots	In what Town Situated	Whole or Part	Value	Total Taxes
Burk James M.	157 & 188		Steubenville	26 by 120 ft	425	15,74 8
Beatty William H.	36		Ross 2d Ad.	whole	1,200	42,63 0
Biles John	1		Andrew's 2d Ad.	whole	1,300	46,18 2
Bulter Margaret	405 & 406		Ross 1st Ad.	40 by 120 ft	425	15,09 8
Conn Robert L. Heirs	6		Gray's ad.	47 by 100 ft	300	10,65 8
Calendine Daniel	208		Steubenville	N 1/2	525	18,65 0
Cooper Wm. L.	5		Roberts & Orr's ad	pt 1/2	265	9,43 1
Cummins Mathias	303		Veirs ad.	whole	400	14,21 0
Same	302		"	"	700	25,11 8
Demoth Christopher	83		Steubenville	whole	600	89,94 2
Devlin Patrick	13		Anderson & Dondson ad.	N 1/2	200	7,10 5
Eaken William	20		Ross 2d ad.	whole	300	10,65 8
Frazier Abner L.	46		Steubenville	whole	525	18,65 0
Same	47		"	"	1,550	55,06 3
Same	48		"	"	550	19,53 9
Hanlen Thos. Heirs	133		Steubenville	whole	775	27,53 1
Hartgrave Rachel	27		Gray's ad.	S. pt.	450	15,98 8
Hurley Dennis	151		Steubenville	N 1/2	525	18,65 0
Hamilton John	278		Carroll & Kells ad.	N 1/2	225	7,99 2
Huntman Nathan	9		Ross 2d ad.	whole	600	21,31 5
Same	10		do	whole	250	8,88 1
Howard James	3		Orr's ad.	whole	500	17,76 3
Hamilton Margaret	280		Carroll & Kells ad	whole	1,100	39,07 7
Johnston Jane	44		Ross 2d ad.	20 ft N. Side	100	3,65 3
Johnston James	1		Wallace's ad.	whole	325	11,54 7
Same	2		Wallace's ad	"	225	7,99 4
Jennings Jeremiah	13		Dike & Wilson's ad	S. 1/2	325	11,54 4
Kirkman Zachariah	9		M'Murray's ad.	1/2 S. Side	225	7,99 2
Kendall Rhea	130		Steubenville	60 ft middle	400	14,21 0
Kilgore & Turnbull	26		Turnbull & Kilgore's ad	whole	250	8,81 1
Laughlin M. M.	10		Dike & Wilsons ad.	whole	1,400	49,73 5
Myers William	17		Ross 2d ad.	N. 1/2	525	18,65 0
Mellor James	25		Turnbull & Kilgore's ad	whole	850	30,19 9
Mahon William	324		Vier's ad.	E. 1/2	125	4,44 1
Same	285		Carroll & Kell's ad.	whole	500	17,76 3
Myers Abraham	326		Veirs ad.	W. 1/2	125	4,44 1
Mears Benjamin	327		Veirs ad.	W. 1/2	250	8,88 1
Manly Joshua	4		Roberts & Orr's ad	whole	400	14,21 0
Same	5		do	70 ft N. Side	100	5,66 7
Meikle David	13		Steubenville	70 by 71 ft	150	5,32 3
O'Neal Mary Ann	406		Ross 1st ad.	30 by 100 ft	325	11,54 7
Same	407		do.	whole	750	26,04 4
Sample Robert	471		Dickinson's ad.	whole	1,200	42,63 0
Stevens Josiah	277		Carroll & Kell's ad	whole	450	15,98 8
Stokeley Samuel	132		Steubenville	whole	1,100	42,77 4